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Summerville Man Arrested on Child Pornography Charges

(COLUMBIA, S.C.) South Carolina Attorney General Alan Wilson announced the arrest of Christopher N. Salzer (DOB: 1966) of Summerville, S.C. on two (2) counts involving the sexual exploitation of minors. The Dorchester County Sheriff's Office, a member of the Internet Crimes Against Children (ICAC) Task Force, made the arrest. Assistance was provided by the Aiken County Sheriff's Office, also an ICAC Task Force member, and the Summerville Police Department.

Investigators say Salzer was involved in sending child pornography via file sharing.

A search warrant was obtained and executed at Salzer's residence on July 1, 2015. He was arrested and charged with two (2) counts of Sexual Exploitation of a Minor, second degree (§16-15-405), a felony offense punishable by up to ten (10) years imprisonment on each count.

Salzer was assigned a bond of \$70,000, and order to have no computer access and to have no contact with minors unless supervised.

The case will be prosecuted by the Attorney General's Office.

Attorney General Wilson stressed all defendants are presumed innocent unless and until they are proven guilty in a court of law.